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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application: Balamucki, et al.
Serial No.: 10/051,821
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Group Art Unit: 3683
Examiner: Kramer, Devon C.
For: SHIFT LEVER WITH COUNTERBALANCE

RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed on September 16, 2003. Please amend the application as follows.